

Davis County EMS Council

August 5, 2010

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Present:

Jim Rampton
Brett Larkin
Roger Bodily
Guido Smith
Kevin Ward
Dr. Dennis Wyman
Dr. Bob Grow

County Staff Present:

Liz Carlisle, Administrative Asst.
Wendy Garcia, CD/EPI

Visitors/Guests:

Bernadette Waldrop – Lake View Hospital
Tami Goodin, BEMS
Deanna Wolfe, Ogden Regional

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Davis County EMS Council was held Thursday, August 5, 2010 at the Davis County Courthouse, Room 230, 28 East State Street, Farmington, Utah. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Chair, Jim Rampton.

Welcome

Chief Jim Rampton welcomed council members, staff and visitors to the meeting.

Minutes (Action)

The minutes of May 5, 2010 were presented and reviewed.

Chief Larkin motioned to accept minutes of the May 5, 2010 EMS Council meeting. Guido Smith seconded. The vote was unanimous.

Blood borne Pathogens Update (Information)

Wendy Garcia, of the Communicable Disease & Epidemiology division of the health department reported changes in the communicable disease and blood borne pathogen requirement options. Free classes are still available. Departments now have the option to have classes presented by Health Department staff in their local facilities for a fee.

Pediatric Protocol Task Force Update (Information)

Dr. Dennis Wyman reported the task force had not yet met and a meeting would be scheduled. Chief Rampton recommended agencies moving forward with adopting the ALS portions of the protocols. With minor changes being made to the paramedic level of care. Chief Ward and Chief Rampton recommended asked to have proposed protocol revisions ready for the following EMS meeting. Dr. Mark Oraskovich and Lt. Arnold Butcher were placed in charge of protocol revisions.

BEMS Update (Information)

Tami Goodin gave a brief update of training changes, meetings and legislative updates. Ms. Goodin also reported that grant money is available for agencies to spend on.

Other Business

Guido Smith reported his agency is seeing an increase in patients carrying concealed weapons. He has created a draft concealed weapons protocol and will send it to the council for review.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

**NEXT MEETING: November 4, 2010
 9:35 a.m.**